

# Journal of the House

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Tenth Meeting Day Friday Morning January 26, 2007

The House convened at 9:00 a.m. with Speaker B. Patrick Bauer in the Chair.

The Speaker stated, "Having conferred with the Attorney General and no objection raised, the temporary House policy while the prayer lawsuit is pending in the courts will be a scripted prayer."

The Speaker read a prayer for health and well-being (printed January 11, 2007).

The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag was led by Representative Richard W. McClain.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called:

Austin Gutwein Avery E. Harris Bardon T. Harris Battles Herrell Behning Hinkle Bell Hoy ≜ Bischoff Kersey Borders Klinker Borror Knollman Bosma Koch C. Brown Kuzman T. Brown L. Lawson Buck Lehe **Buell** Leonard Burton Lutz Candelaria Reardon Mays Cheatham McClain Cheney Micon Cherry Moses Murphy 🖹 Cochran Crawford Neese Crooks Niezgodski Crouch Noe Davis Orentlicher Day Oxley Dembowski Pelath Denbo Pflum Dermody Pierce Dickinson Pond Dobis 🖻 Porter Dodge Reske Duncan Richardson Dvorak Ripley Eberhart Robertson Elrod Ruppel Espich Saunders Foley M. Smith Friend V. Smith Frizzell 🖹 Soliday Fry 🔳 Stemler GiaQuinta Stevenson Goodin Stilwell

Stutzman

Grubb

Summers
Thomas
VanHaaften
Thompson
Walorski
Tincher
Welch
Torr
Whetstone
Turner
Wolkins
Tyler
Mr. Speaker

Roll Call 19: 91 present; 8 excused; 1 absent. The Speaker announced a quorum in attendance. [NOTE: 🖹 indicates those who were excused; 🔳 indicates those who were absent.]

#### HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that when we do adjourn, we adjourn until Monday, January 29, 2007, at 1:30 p.m.

**DENBO** 

Motion prevailed.

## INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following bills were read a first time by title and referred to the respective committees:

**HB 1097** — Buell

Committee on Rules and Legislative Procedures A BILL FOR AN ACT concerning pensions.

HB 1138 — Herrell, Wolkins

Committee on Rules and Legislative Procedures

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning local government.

HB 1140 — Herrell

Committee on Roads and Transportation

A BILL FOR AN ACT concerning utilities and transportation.

HB 1312 — Austin, Denbo, T. Harris

Committee on Government and Regulatory Reform

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning professions and occupations and to make an appropriation.

HB 1313 — Crawford, Kuzman

Committee on Government and Regulatory Reform

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning the general assembly.

**HB 1331** — Borror

Committee on Roads and Transportation

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning motor vehicles.

**HB 1341** — C. Brown

Committee on Courts and Criminal Code

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning courts and court officers.

HB 1365 — Foley, L. Lawson, Crawford, Thomas

Committee on Judiciary

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning criminal law and procedure.

HB 1397 — Ruppel, Tincher, Koch, Bischoff

Committee on Rules and Legislative Procedures

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning civil law and procedure.

HB 1403 — Stutzman, T. Harris

Committee on Rules and Legislative Procedures

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning property.

**HB 1415** — Day

Committee on Ways and Means

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning state and local administration.

**HB 1432** — Buck

Committee on Public Policy

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning state and local administration.

HB 1434 — Candelaria Reardon

Committee on Local Government

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning local government.

HB 1463 — Hinkle, Frizzell

Committee on Interstate and International Cooperation

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning education.

HB 1464 — Hinkle

Committee on Rules and Legislative Procedures

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning property.

**HB 1465** — Hinkle

Committee on Interstate and International Cooperation

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning trade regulation.

HB 1494 — Stilwell

Committee on Judiciary

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning courts and court officers.

HB 1495 — Stilwell

Committee on Ways and Means

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning local government.

HB 1512 — Moses, L. Lawson

Committee on Ways and Means

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning local government.

HB 1520 — Buell, Pond

Committee on Judiciary

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning local government.

**HB 1523** — Murphy

Committee on Interstate and International Cooperation

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning motor vehicles.

**HB 1571** — Fry

Committee on Rules and Legislative Procedures

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning courts and court officers.

**HB 1613** — Elrod

Committee on Roads and Transportation

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning motor vehicles.

HB 1683 — Candelaria Reardon

Committee on Ways and Means

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning local government.

**HB 1684** — L. Lawson, Niezgodski

Committee on Judiciary

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning property.

**HB 1685** — L. Lawson

Committee on Judiciary

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning local government.

**HB 1686** — V. Smith, Micon

Committee on Labor and Employment

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning labor and safety.

**HB 1687** — Micon

Committee on Education

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning education and to make an appropriation.

HB 1688 — Frizzell

Committee on Rules and Legislative Procedures

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning courts and court officers.

HB 1689 — Frizzell

Committee on Ways and Means

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning taxation.

**HB 1690** — Cheney

Committee on Education

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning education.

**HB 1691** — Cheney

Committee on Ways and Means

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning taxation.

HB 1692 — Cochran, Kuzman

Committee on Judiciary

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning courts and court officers.

HB 1693 — Cochran, Kuzman

Committee on Roads and Transportation

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning utilities and transportation.

HB 1694 — M. Smith, Battles, Ruppel, Cheatham

Committee on Courts and Criminal Code

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning criminal law and procedure.

# HB 1695 — M. Smith, Cheatham, Ruppel, Koch

Committee on Ways and Means

A BILL FOR AN ACT concerning land use and to make an appropriation.

## HB 1696 — M. Smith, Cheatham

Committee on Ways and Means

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning taxation.

#### HB 1697 — M. Smith

Committee on Ways and Means

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning taxation.

## HB 1698 - M. Smith

Committee on Rules and Legislative Procedures

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning taxation.

## HB 1699 - M. Smith

Committee on Ways and Means

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning taxation.

#### HB 1700 — M. Smith

Committee on Ways and Means

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning taxation.

#### HB 1701 — M. Smith

Committee on Ways and Means

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning taxation.

#### HB 1702 — M. Smith

Committee on Ways and Means

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning taxation.

#### HB 1703 — M. Smith

Committee on Ways and Means

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning taxation

## HB 1704 - M. Smith

Committee on Ways and Means

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning taxation.

# HB 1705 — Walorski, Koch, Tincher, Neese

Committee on Courts and Criminal Code

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning criminal law and procedure and to make an appropriation.

# HB 1706 — Walorski

Committee on Family, Children and Human Affairs

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning human services.

# **HB 1707** — Elrod

Committee on Roads and Transportation

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning motor vehicles.

## HB 1708 — Herrell

Committee on Education

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning education.

## HB 1709 — Herrell, Ulmer

Committee on Courts and Criminal Code

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning criminal law and procedure.

## HB 1710 — Herrell

Committee on Financial Institutions

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning commercial law.

#### HB 1711 — Herrell

Committee on Ways and Means

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning pensions.

## **HB 1712** — Crooks

Committee on Commerce, Energy and Utilities

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning utilities and transportation.

#### **HB 1713** — Crooks

Committee on Commerce, Energy and Utilities

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning utilities and transportation.

#### **HB 1714** — Crooks

Committee on Commerce, Energy and Utilities

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning utilities and transportation.

#### **HB 1715** — Goodin

Committee on Judiciary

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning property.

# HB 1716 — Bardon

Committee on Public Policy

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning civil rights.

#### **HB 1717** — Bardon

Committee on Financial Institutions

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning financial institutions.

## HB 1718 — Bardon

Committee on Financial Institutions

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning trade regulation.

# **HB 1719** — Bardon

Committee on Rules and Legislative Procedures

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning agriculture and animals.

# HB 1720 — Klinker, Koch, E. Harris, Buell

Committee on Small Business and Economic Development

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning taxation.

# HB 1721 — Moses, Crooks

Committee on Commerce, Energy and Utilities

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning utilities and transportation.

## HB 1723 — Robertson, Porter

Committee on Education

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning education.

## HB 1724 — Robertson

Committee on Rules and Legislative Procedures

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning the general assembly.

# HB 1725 — Robertson

Committee on Rules and Legislative Procedures

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning the general assembly.

#### HB 1726 — Dembowski

Committee on Veterans Affairs and Public Safety

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning public safety and to make an appropriation.

#### **HB 1727** — Lehe

Committee on Veterans Affairs and Public Safety

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning public safety.

#### HB 1728 — Niezgodski, Stilwell, Grubb

Committee on Commerce, Energy and Utilities

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning state and local administration.

#### **HB 1729** — Dermody

Committee on Government and Regulatory Reform

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning economic development and to make an appropriation.

## **HB 1730** — Neese

Committee on Judiciary

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning public safety.

## HB 1731 — GiaQuinta

Committee on Government and Regulatory Reform

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning state and local administration.

## HB 1732 — GiaQuinta

Committee on Ways and Means

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning education.

## HB 1733 — GiaQuinta

Committee on Judiciary

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning local government.

# HB 1734 — Eberhart

Committee on Roads and Transportation

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning motor vehicles.

# HB 1735 — Soliday

Committee on Ways and Means

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning taxation.

# **HB 1736** — Buck

Committee on Rules and Legislative Procedures

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning professions and occupations.

## **HB 1737** — Welch

Committee on Labor and Employment

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning labor and safety.

## HB 1738 — Welch, Pierce, Koch

Committee on Commerce, Energy and Utilities

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning utilities and transportation.

## HB 1739 — Pelath, Denbo

Committee on Public Policy

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning criminal law and procedure.

#### **HB 1740** — Pelath

Committee on Ways and Means

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning taxation.

#### HB 1741 — Pelath, Dermody

Committee on Ways and Means

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning education finance.

## HB 1742 — Pelath

Committee on Roads and Transportation

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning local government.

#### HB 1743 — GiaQuinta

Committee on Elections and Apportionment

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning elections.

#### HB 1744 — VanHaaften

Committee on Ways and Means

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning taxation.

#### HB 1745 — Turner, Welch, V. Smith

Committee on Public Health

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning health.

# HB 1746 — Turner, Welch

Committee on Public Policy

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning family law and juvenile law.

## HB 1747 — Turner, Welch

Committee on Courts and Criminal Code

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning criminal law and procedure.

# HB 1748 — Turner, Welch

Committee on Ways and Means

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning taxation.

# HB 1749 — Turner

Committee on Roads and Transportation

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning motor vehicles.

# **HB 1750** — Turner

Committee on Roads and Transportation

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning education.

# **HB 1751** — Turner

Committee on Education

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning education.

## HB 1752 — Turner

Committee on Public Policy

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning health.

## HB 1753 — Summers, Burton

Committee on Family, Children and Human Affairs

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning state offices and administration and to make an appropriation.

## HB 1754 — Dermody, Tincher

Committee on Judiciary

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning criminal law and procedure.

## HB 1755 — Davis

Committee on Ways and Means

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning taxation.

#### HB 1756 — Tincher, Walorski

Committee on Public Policy

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning criminal law and procedure and to make an appropriation.

#### **HB 1757** — Tincher, Kersey

Committee on Interstate and International Cooperation

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning education.

#### HB 1758 — Tincher

Committee on Ways and Means

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning taxation.

#### HB 1759 — Frizzell

Committee on Rules and Legislative Procedures

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning the general assembly.

# HB 1760 — Bosma, Davis, T. Harris

Committee on Rules and Legislative Procedures

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning the general assembly.

## HB 1761 — Friend

Committee on Commerce, Energy and Utilities

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning trade regulation.

# HB 1762 — Friend

Committee on Natural Resources

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning natural and cultural resources.

# HB 1763 — Pierce, Saunders

Committee on Natural Resources

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning natural and cultural resources and to make an appropriation.

## **HB 1764** — Borror, Leonard, Dermody, Soliday

Committee on Labor and Employment

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning labor and safety.

## HB 1765 — Borror, Austin, Davis

Committee on Ways and Means

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning taxation.

## HB 1766 — V. Smith

Committee on Commerce, Energy and Utilities

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning utilities and transportation.

## HB 1767 — V. Smith

Committee on Ways and Means

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning taxation.

#### HB 1768 — Herrell

Committee on Ways and Means

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning pensions.

## HB 1769 — Herrell, Ruppel

Committee on Ways and Means

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning public safety.

# **HB 1770** — Avery

Committee on Roads and Transportation

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning motor vehicles.

# **HB 1771** — Avery

Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning agriculture and animals.

## **HB 1772** — Ripley

Committee on Insurance

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning health.

#### HB 1773 — Cheatham, Denbo

Committee on Public Policy

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning health.

#### HB 1774 — VanHaaften, Borror, Crouch

Committee on Local Government

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning local government.

# HB 1775 — Stemler, Whetstone

Committee on Public Policy

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning alcohol and tobacco.

# HB 1776 — Stemler

Committee on Ways and Means

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning taxation.

# **HB 1777** — Summers

Committee on Family, Children and Human Affairs

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning state and local administration.

# **HB 1778** — Summers

Committee on Family, Children and Human Affairs

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning family law and juvenile law.

## **HB 1779** — Summers

Committee on Family, Children and Human Affairs

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning state offices and administration.

## HB 1780 — E. Harris

Committee on Rules and Legislative Procedures

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning the general assembly and to make an appropriation.

## HB 1781 — E. Harris, T. Brown

Committee on Ways and Means

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning Medicaid.

## HB 1782 — Koch, Welch, Ruppel

Committee on Ways and Means

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning taxation.

## HB 1783 — Koch, Welch

Committee on Interstate and International Cooperation

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning insurance.

#### HB 1784 — Koch

Committee on Public Health

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning health.

#### **HB 1785** — Grubb, Foley

Committee on Judiciary

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning property.

## HB 1786 — Grubb, Frizzell

Committee on Judiciary

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning property.

## HB 1787 — Ruppel, V. Smith, Stevenson, Elrod

Committee on Local Government

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning local government.

# HB 1788 — Ruppel, Tincher, Bischoff, Wolkins

Committee on Local Government

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning state and local administration.

## HB 1789 — Ruppel, Bardon, Burton

Committee on Financial Institutions

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning trade regulation.

# HB 1790 — L. Lawson, Tyler, Herrell, Ruppel

Committee on Local Government

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning state and local administration.

# **HB 1791** — T. Brown

Committee on Public Health

A BILL FOR AN ACT concerning Medicaid.

# HB 1792 — V. Smith

Committee on Ways and Means

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning education finance.

# HB 1793 — V. Smith

Committee on Judiciary

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning corrections.

## HB 1794 — V. Smith

Committee on Ways and Means

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning taxation.

## HB 1795 — M. Smith, Grubb, Koch

Committee on Rules and Legislative Procedures

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning the general assembly.

## HB 1796 — Austin, Kuzman, Bell

Committee on Public Policy

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning alcohol and tobacco.

# **HB 1797** — Porter

Committee on Education

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning education.

# HB 1798 — Grubb, Bell, Hoy, Cheatham

Committee on Ways and Means

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning taxation.

## HB 1799 — Robertson, Friend

Committee on Natural Resources

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning natural and cultural resources.

#### HB 1801 — Porter, Micon

Committee on Education

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning education.

#### **HB 1802** — Porter

Committee on Courts and Criminal Code

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning criminal law and procedure.

#### **HB 1803** — Pierce

Committee on Technology, Research and Development

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning trade regulation.

## HB 1804 — Pierce, Richardson

Committee on Elections and Apportionment

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning elections.

## **HB 1805** — Pierce

Committee on Natural Resources

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning local government.

# **HB 1806** — Pierce

Committee on Elections and Apportionment

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning elections.

# HB 1807 — Pierce, Grubb

Committee on Elections and Apportionment

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning elections.

## HB 1808 — Pierce, Avery

Committee on Elections and Apportionment

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning elections.

HB 1809 - Pierce, Welch

Committee on Commerce, Energy and Utilities

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning state and local administration.

HB 1810 - Pierce, Welch, Turner

Committee on Ways and Means

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning taxation.

HB 1811 — Pierce, Welch, Koch

Committee on Education

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning education.

HB 1812 — Pierce, Dvorak, Austin

Committee on Environmental Affairs

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning energy.

HB 1813 — Mays, Crawford, C. Brown

Committee on Public Health

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning health and to make an appropriation.

**HB 1814** — Buell

Committee on Government and Regulatory Reform

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning health

HB 1815 — Robertson, Porter

Committee on Education

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning education.

HB 1816 - V. Smith

Committee on Education

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning education.

HB 1817 — V. Smith

Committee on Insurance

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning insurance.

HB 1818 — V. Smith

Committee on Government and Regulatory Reform

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning state offices and administration.

HB 1819 — Klinker, Buell, Thompson

Committee on Ways and Means

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning taxation.

HB 1820 — Klinker, Buell, Battles, Pond

Committee on Ways and Means

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning pensions.

HB 1821 — Klinker, T. Brown, C. Brown

Committee on Public Health

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning professions and occupations.

# INTRODUCTION OF JOINT RESOLUTIONS

The following joint resolutions were read a first time by title and referred to the respective committees:

HJR 15 — Turner

Committee on Rules and Legislative Procedures

A JOINT RESOLUTION proposing an amendment to Article 1 of the Indiana Constitution concerning the definition of marriage.

Be it resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

SECTION 1. The following amendment to the Constitution of the State of Indiana, which was agreed to by the One Hundred Fourteenth General Assembly and referred to this General Assembly for reconsideration and agreement, is agreed to by this the One Hundred Fifteenth General Assembly of the State of Indiana

SECTION 2. ARTICLE 1 OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF INDIANA IS AMENDED BY ADDING A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS: Section 38. (a) Marriage in Indiana consists only of the union of one man and one woman.

(b) This Constitution or any other Indiana law may not be construed to require that marital status or the legal incidents of marriage be conferred upon unmarried couples or groups.

# REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES

## COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Local Government, to which was referred House Bill 1018, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

Page 1, delete lines 1 through 17, begin a new paragraph and insert:

"SECTION 1. IC 9-21-5-14, AS AMENDED BY P.L.107-2006, SECTION 2, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2007]: Sec. 14. (a) A person may not operate a school bus or a special purpose bus at a speed greater than:

(1) fifty-five (55) sixty (60) miles per hour on a federal or state highway; or

(2) forty (40) miles per hour on a county or township highway.

(b) If the posted speed limit is lower than the absolute limits set in this section or if the absolute limits do not apply, the maximum lawful speed of a bus is the posted speed limit.".

Delete page 2.

Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.

(Reference is to HB 1018 as introduced.) and when so amended that said bill do pass.

Committee Vote: yeas 10, nays 0.

V. SMITH, Chair

Report adopted.

# COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred House Bill 1036, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

Committee Vote: yeas 23, nays 1.

CRAWFORD, Chair

Report adopted.

# COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Family, Children and Human Affairs, to which was referred House Bill 1075, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same

back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

Committee Vote: yeas 12, nays 0.

SUMMERS, Chair

Report adopted.

#### COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Veterans Affairs and Public Safety, to which was referred House Bill 1078, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

Committee Vote: yeas 11, nays 0.

TINCHER, Chair

Report adopted.

#### COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Labor and Employment, to which was referred House Bill 1088, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

Committee Vote: yeas 7, nays 4.

CHENEY, Chair

Report adopted.

#### COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred House Bill 1119, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

Committee Vote: yeas 24, nays 0.

CRAWFORD, Chair

Report adopted.

#### COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred House Bill 1165, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

Page 1, line 5, delete "commercial" and insert "qualified".

Page 1, line 7, delete ""commercial" and insert ""qualified".

Page 1, line 7, delete "has the" and insert "means a motor vehicle that:

(1) when used with a trailer or semitrailer is classified by the United States Department of Transportation Federal Highway Administration as a heavy duty vehicle in vehicle class 8 through vehicle class 13; and

(2) is equipped with a sleeping compartment.".

Page 1, delete line 8.

Page 2, line 4, delete "commercial" and insert "qualified".

Page 2, line 25, delete "commercial" and insert "qualified". (Reference is to HB 1165 as introduced.)

and when so amended that said bill do pass.

Committee Vote: yeas 23, nays 0.

CRAWFORD, Chair

Report adopted.

#### COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred House Bill 1183, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

Committee Vote: yeas 23, nays 0.

CRAWFORD, Chair

Report adopted.

#### COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred House Bill 1208, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

Delete the title and insert the following:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning education.

Page 1, line 6, after "service" insert "by an individual".

Page 1, line 6, delete "at" and insert "the".

Page 1, line 6, delete "thirty" and insert "of the following periods:

- (1) Twenty-four (24) consecutive months.
- (2) The entire period during which deployment orders are in effect for the individual.
- (3) Any period of service from which the individual is released due to a service connected disability.".

Page 1, delete line 7.

Page 1, line 10, delete ""commission"" and insert ""department"".

Page 1, line 10, after "the" insert "Indiana department of".

Page 1, line 11, delete "veterans" and insert "veterans".

Page 1, line 11, delete "commission".

Page 1, line 11, delete "IC 10-17-1-3." and insert "IC 10-17-1-2.".

Page 1, line 16, after "6." insert "(a)".

Page 2, line 3, delete "either:".

Page 2, line 4, delete "(A)".

Page 2, line 4, delete "at any time" and insert "while serving on active duty".

Page 2, run in lines 3 through 4.

Page 2, line 6, after "Defense;" delete "or".

Page 2, line 7, beginning with "(B)" begin a new line block indented.

Page 2, line 7, delete "(B)" and insert "(3)".

Page 2, line 7, after "serves" insert "any part of the individual's service".

Page 2, line 8, beginning with "(i)" begin a new line double block indented.

Page 2, line 8, delete "(i)" and insert "(A)".

Page 2, line 9, beginning with "(ii)" begin a new line double block indented.

Page 2, line 9, delete "(ii)" and insert "(B)".

Page 2, line 13, delete "(3)" and insert "(4)".

Page 2, line 16, delete "(4)" and insert "(5)".

Page 2, line 19, delete "(5)" and insert "(6)".

Page 2, between lines 25 and 26, begin a new paragraph and insert:

"(b) For purposes of this section, the commission for higher education established by IC 20-12-0.5-2 shall define the mandatory fees in consultation with the state student assistance commission established by IC 20-12-21-4.".

Page 3, line 8, delete "commission" and insert "department".
Page 3, line 12, delete "commission" and insert "director of the department".

Page 3, line 14, delete "commission" and insert "director of the department".

Page 3, line 17, after "(c)" insert "to the veterans' affairs commission established by IC 10-17-1-3".

Page 3, line 20, after "The" insert "veterans' affairs".

Page 3, line 21, after "the" insert "veterans' affairs".

Page 3, line 24, delete "section" and insert "chapter".

Page 3, delete lines 26 through 28, begin a new paragraph and

insert:

"SECTION 2. IC 20-12-21-15 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2007]: Sec. 15. (a) The commission shall administer the hereby created freedom of choice grant program.

- (b) A person shall be:
  - (1) eligible for a grant under this program if:
    - (a) (A) the person is qualified for a higher education award under the terms of sections 6 or 6.1 of this chapter, even though lack of funds prevents the actual award or grant;
    - (b) (B) the person has a financial need as determined pursuant to this chapter, and the rules and regulations of the commission in excess of such award; and
    - (c) (C) the person will attend an approved institution of higher learning as defined in section 3(2)(A), 3(2)(B), or 3(2)(C) of this chapter, which is operated privately and not administered or controlled by any state agency or entity; or
  - (2) entitled to a grant under this program if the person: (A) qualifies for a tuition exemption under IC 20-12-19 or IC 20-12-19.9; and
    - (B) will attend an approved institution of higher learning, as defined in section 3(2)(A), 3(2)(B), or 3(2)(C) of this chapter, that is operated privately and not administered or controlled by any state agency or entity.

SECTION 3. IC 20-12-21-16 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2007]: Sec. 16. Freedom of choice grant renewals shall be governed by the same conditions as are set forth in section 7(b) of this chapter. However, the condition described in section 7(b)(3) of this chapter does not apply to the renewal of a grant awarded under section 15(b)(2) of this chapter.

SECTION 4. IC 20-12-21-17 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2007]: Sec. 17. (a) For freedom of choice grants awarded under section 15(b)(1) of this chapter, the amount of a freedom of choice the grant to be made pursuant to this program shall not exceed the difference between the amount of the total financial need of the student, as determined pursuant to the commission's rules and regulations, and the higher education award made under section 6 or 6.1 of this chapter, or the sum necessary to pay tuition and regularly assessed fees at the institution, whichever is smaller.

(b) For freedom of choice grants awarded under section 15(b)(2) of this chapter, the amount of the grant may not exceed the statewide average of educational costs assessed at all state educational institutions (as defined in IC 20-12-0.5-1), as determined by the commission.

SECTION 5. IC 20-12-74-2 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2007]: Sec. 2. As used in this chapter, "eligible student" means a person who:

- (1) is either:
  - (A) a member of the Indiana National Guard:

(A) (i) in active drilling status; and

- (B) (ii) who has not been absent without leave within the twelve (12) months immediately preceding the date the person applies for a tuition scholarship under this chapter; or
- (B) a former member of the Indiana National Guard who was called to active duty (as defined in IC 20-12-21-5.1(f)) at least one (1) time while a member of the Indiana National Guard;
- (2) does not possess a bachelor's degree from an institution of higher learning (as defined in IC 20-12-70-4);
- (3) possesses the requisite academic qualifications;
- (4) meets the requirements of the state educational institution in which the person is enrolled or will enroll; and

(5) meets all other eligibility requirements as determined by the commission.

SECTION 6. IC 20-12-74-7 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2007]: Sec. 7. (a) Money in the national guard tuition supplement program fund shall be used to provide annual tuition scholarships to scholarship applicants who qualify under this chapter in an amount that is equal to one (1) of the following amounts:

- (1) If the scholarship applicant does not receive other financial assistance specifically designated for tuition and mandatory fees, the amount equal to a full tuition scholarship to attend the state educational institution.
- (2) If the scholarship applicant receives other financial assistance specifically designated for tuition and mandatory fees, the amount:
  - (A) equal to the balance required to attend the state educational institution; and
  - (B) not to exceed the amount described in subdivision (1).
- (b) Each tuition scholarship awarded under this chapter:
  - (1) may be renewed under this chapter for a total scholarship award that does not exceed the equivalent of eight (8) semesters; one hundred twenty-four (124) semester credit hours; and
  - (2) that is renewable under this chapter is subject to other eligibility criteria as established by the commission.
- (c) This subsection applies to an eligible student who was called to active duty (as defined in IC 20-12-21-5.1(f)) at least one (1) time while a member of the Indiana National Guard. After the eligible student ceases to be a member of the Indiana National Guard, the eligible student is entitled to have the eligible student's eligibility for tuition assistance extended for an amount of time equal to the amount of time the eligible student spent on active duty."

Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.

(Reference is to HB 1208 as introduced.)

and when so amended that said bill do pass.

Committee Vote: yeas 25, nays 0.

CRAWFORD, Chair

Report adopted.

#### COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill 1301, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

Committee Vote: yeas 12, nays 0.

PORTER, Chair

Report adopted.

# COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill 1311, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

Page 2, line 16, after "undergraduate" insert "or graduate".

(Reference is to HB 1311 as introduced.)

and when so amended that said bill do pass.

Committee Vote: yeas 12, nays 0.

PORTER, Chair

Report adopted.

## COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Commerce, Energy and Utilities, to which was referred House Bill 1324, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back

to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

Page 2, after line 27, begin a new paragraph and insert:

- "(d) A valuable metal dealer may not accept a damaged or an undamaged metal beer keg if either of the following applies:
  - (1) The keg is clearly marked as the property of a brewery manufacturer.
  - (2) The keg's identification markings have been made illegible.".

(Reference is to HB 1324 as introduced.) and when so amended that said bill do pass.

Committee Vote: yeas 11, nays 0.

CROOKS, Chair

Report adopted.

#### COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Roads and Transportation, to which was referred House Bill 1425, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

Page 2, between lines 1 and 2, begin a new paragraph and insert:

"SECTION 2. IC 9-13-2-179 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2007]: Sec. 179. "Towing service" means a business person that engages in moving or removing abandoned or disabled vehicles and, once the vehicles are moved or removed, stores or impounds the vehicles.".

Page 2, line 18, after "4." insert "(a)".

Page 2, line 18, after "chapter" insert ", subsection (b),".

Page 2, between lines 34 and 35, begin a new paragraph and insert:

- "(b) Notwithstanding section 3 of this chapter, subsection (a), and IC 9-18-2-4, a farm truck, farm trailer, or farm semitrailer and tractor described in section 1 of this chapter may be operated intrastate for the transportation of tomatoes or silage to the first point of processing for a period of not more than one (1) seventy-one (71) day period in a registration year established by IC 9-18-2-7. Before a vehicle may be operated as provided in this subsection, the owner shall pay to the bureau:
  - (1) the license fee due under IC 9-29-5-13(b); and
  - (2) seventeen percent (17%) of the license fee paid under IC 9-29-5-13(b);

for the farm truck, farm trailer, or farm semitrailer and tractor. The bureau shall adopt rules under IC 4-22-2 to authorize the operation of a farm truck, farm trailer, or farm semitrailer and tractor in the manner provided in this subsection."

Page 3, between lines 4 and 5, begin a new paragraph and insert:

"SECTION 6. IC 9-22-1-9 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2007]: Sec. 9. The release must state the name, signature, and address of the person who owns or holds a lien on the vehicle, a description of the vehicle or parts, costs, and date of release. A towing operator service shall notify the bureau of all releases under section 8 of this chapter.

SECTION 7. IC 9-22-1-16, AS AMENDED BY P.L.104-2005, SECTION 6, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2007]: Sec. 16. (a) If after seventy-two (72) hours the person who owns a vehicle believed to be abandoned on private property that the person owns or controls, including rental property, has not removed the vehicle from the private property, the person who owns or controls the private property may have the vehicle towed from the private

property. The towing operator shall do the following:

- (1) Contact the bureau to obtain the name and address of the person who owns the vehicle.
- (2) Send, by certified mail, a copy of the information contained in the notice required under section 15 of this chapter to the person who owns the vehicle. The notice required by this subdivision must be mailed to the person who owns the vehicle according to the records of the bureau not later than five (5) business days after receipt of the information in subdivision (1) from the bureau.
- (b) Notwithstanding subsection (a), in an emergency situation a vehicle may be removed immediately. As used in this subsection, "emergency situation" means that the presence of the abandoned vehicle interferes physically with the conduct of normal business operations of the person who owns or controls the private property or poses a threat to the safety or security of persons or property, or both.

SECTION 8. IC 9-22-1-17 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2007]: Sec. 17. A towing operator who service that tows a vehicle under section 16 of this chapter shall give notice to the public agency and bureau that the abandoned vehicle is in the possession of the towing operator. service.

SECTION 9. IC 9-22-1-19, AS AMENDED BY P.L.104-2005, SECTION 7, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2007]: Sec. 19. (a) Within seventy-two (72) hours after removal of an abandoned vehicle to a storage yard or towing service under section 13, 14, or 16 of this chapter, the public agency or towing operator service shall do the following:

- (1) Prepare and forward to the bureau an abandoned vehicle report containing a description of the vehicle, including the following information concerning the vehicle:
  - (1) (A) The make.
  - (2) (B) The model.
  - (3) (C) The identification number.
  - (4) (D) The number of the license plate.
- (2) Contact the bureau or conduct a search of national data bases, including a data base of vehicle identification numbers, to attempt to obtain the name and address of the person who owns or holds a lien on the vehicle.
- (b) The public agency or towing operator service shall request that the bureau advise the public agency or towing operator service of the name and most recent address of the person who owns or holds a lien on the vehicle.
- (c) Notwithstanding section 4 of this chapter, if the public agency or towing operator service fails to notify the bureau of the removal of an abandoned vehicle within seventy-two (72) hours after the vehicle is removed as required by subsection (a), the public agency or towing operator: service:
  - (1) may not initially collect more in reimbursement for the costs of storing the vehicle than the cost incurred for storage for seventy-two (72) hours; and
  - (2) **subject to subsection (d),** may collect further reimbursement under this chapter only for additional storage costs incurred after notifying the bureau of the removal of the abandoned vehicle.
- (d) If the public agency or towing service obtains the name and address of the person who owns or holds a lien on the abandoned vehicle under subsection (a)(2), within seventy-two (72) hours after obtaining the name and address, the public agency or towing service shall, by certified mail, notify the person who owns or holds a lien on the vehicle of the:
  - (1) name;
  - (2) address; and
  - (3) telephone number;

of the public agency or towing service. Notwithstanding

section 4 of this chapter and subsection (c)(2), a public agency or towing service that fails to notify a person who owns or holds a lien on the vehicle as set forth in this subsection may not collect additional storage costs incurred after the date of receipt of the name and address obtained under subsection (a)(2).

(e) A towing service may not collect reimbursement under both subsections (c) and (d) for storage costs incurred during a particular period for one (1) vehicle."

Page 3, line 10, strike "subsection" and insert "subsections".

Page 3, line 10, after "(d)" delete "," and insert "and (e),".

Page 3, line 34, strike "IC 9-21-21-4." and insert "IC 9-21-21-4(a).".

Page 3, between lines 39 and 40, begin a new paragraph and insert:

- "(e) Notwithstanding subsections (b) and (d) and IC 9-18-2-4, a truck, trailer, or semitrailer and tractor described in subsection (a) may be operated intrastate for the transportation of tomatoes or silage to the first point of processing for a period that consists of not more than one (1) seventy-one (71) day period in a registration year as provided by IC 9-21-21-4(b). Before a vehicle may be operated as provided in this subsection, the owner shall pay to the bureau:
  - (1) any license fee due under section 13(b) of this chapter; and
  - (2) seventeen percent (17%) of the license fee paid under section 13(b) of this chapter.".

Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.

(Reference is to HB 1425 as introduced.) and when so amended that said bill do pass.

Committee Vote: yeas 10, nays 0.

AUSTIN, Chair

Report adopted.

#### COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Commerce, Energy and Utilities, to which was referred House Bill 1722, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

Page 1, line 14, after "electric" insert "or gas".

Page 3, delete lines 34 through 42.

Page 4, delete lines 1 through 33.

Page 6, delete lines 11 through 16.

Page 6, line 35, delete "Indiana".

Page 6, line 35, delete ".".

Page 6, line 35, reset in roman "from the geological".

Page 6, reset in roman line 36.

Page 6, line 37, delete "Indiana".

Page 6, line 38, reset in roman "from the geological formation known as the Illinois Basin".

Page 7, line 11, delete "Indiana".

Page 7, line 11, reset in roman "of the".

Page 7, line 12, reset in roman "Illinois Basin".

Page 7, line 27, delete "Indiana".

Page 7, line 27, delete ".".

Page 7, reset in roman line 28.

Page 7, line 32, delete "Indiana".

Page 7, line 32, delete ",".

Page 7, line 32, reset in roman "from the".

Page 7, line 32, after "geologic" insert "geological".

Page 7, line 32, reset in roman "formation known as the".

Page 7, line 33, reset in roman "Illinois Basin,".

Page 8, line 8, after "reduces" insert "or eliminates".

Page 9, line 2, delete "Indiana".

Page 9, line 2, delete ".".

Page 9, line 2, reset in roman "from the".

Page 9, line 2, after "geologic" insert "geological".

Page 9, line 2, reset in roman "formation known".

Page 9, reset in roman line 3.

Page 10, line 25, reset in roman "Illinois Basin".

Page 10, line 25, delete "Indiana".

Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.

(Reference is to HB 1722 as introduced.) and when so amended that said bill do pass.

Committee Vote: yeas 11, nays 0.

CROOKS, Chair

Report adopted.

# COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Bill 1800, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

Committee Vote: yeas 9, nays 3.

PORTER, Chair

Report adopted.

#### COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Education, to which was referred House Joint Resolution 13, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

Committee Vote: yeas 7, nays 5.

PORTER, Chair

Report adopted.

## HOUSE BILLS ON SECOND READING

# **House Bill 1132**

Representative Tyler called down House Bill 1132 for second reading. The bill was read a second time by title. There being no amendments, the bill was ordered engrossed.

# ENGROSSED HOUSE BILLS ON THIRD READING

## **Engrossed House Bill 1059**

Representative Kersey called down Engrossed House Bill 1059 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning education.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 20: yeas 91, nays 0. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill. Senate sponsors: Senators Lubbers and Skinner.

## **Engrossed House Bill 1092**

Representative Avery called down Engrossed House Bill 1092 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning military service.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 21: yeas 90, nays 0. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Clerk was

directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill. Senate sponsors: Senators Delph, Simpson, and Wyss.

## **Engrossed House Bill 1117**

Representative Denbo called down Engrossed House Bill 1117 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning utilities and transportation.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 22: yeas 74, nays 14. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill. Senate sponsors: Senators Steele, Hume, and R. Young.

## **Engrossed House Bill 1145**

Representative Kersey called down Engrossed House Bill 1145 for third reading:

A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning local government.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question was, Shall the bill pass?

Roll Call 23: yeas 86, nays 1. The bill was declared passed. The question was, Shall the title of the bill remain the title of the act? There being no objection, it was so ordered. The Clerk was directed to inform the Senate of the passage of the bill. Senate sponsors: Senators Bray and Skinner.

# OTHER BUSINESS ON THE SPEAKER'S TABLE

## Referrals to Ways and Means

The Speaker announced, pursuant to House Rule 127, that House Bills 1311 and 1800 and House Joint Resolution 13 had been referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

# Reassignments

The Speaker announced the following reassignments:

House Bill 1107 from the Committee on Family, Children and Human Affairs to the Committee on Public Health.

House Bill 1480 from the Committee on Ways and Means to the Committee on Rules and Legislative Procedures.

# PETITION TO CHANGE VOTING RECORD

Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to House Rule 75, I hereby petition to change my voting record on the third reading of Engrossed House Bill 1092, Roll Call 21, on January 26, 2007. In support of this petition, I submit the following reason:

"I was present in the Chamber but, when I attempted to vote, the machine had closed. I intended to vote yea."

#### STEMLER

There being a constitutional majority voting in favor of the petition, the petition was adopted. [Journal Clerk's note: this changes the vote tally for Roll Call 21 to 89 yeas, 0 nays.]

## PETITION TO CHANGE VOTING RECORD

Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to House Rule 75, I hereby petition to change my voting record on the third reading of Engrossed House Bill 1129, Roll Call 15, on January 25, 2007. In support of this petition, I submit the following reason:

"I was present in the Chamber but, when I attempted to vote, the machine had closed. I intended to vote yea."

L. LAWSON

There being a constitutional majority voting in favor of the petition, the petition was adopted. [Journal Clerk's note: this changes the vote tally for Roll Call 15 to 91 yeas, 6 nays.]

## HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that Representatives Bosma and Klinker added as coauthors of House Bill 1059.

KERSEY

Motion prevailed.

#### HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that Representative T. Harris be added as coauthor of House Bill 1086.

**BISCHOFF** 

Motion prevailed.

## HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that Representative Buell be removed as author of House Bill 1097, Representative Kuzman be substituted as author, Representative Buell be added as coauthor.

BUFLL

Motion prevailed.

#### HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that Representative Koch be added as coauthor of House Bill 1117.

**DENBO** 

Motion prevailed.

#### HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that Representatives Tincher and Thomas be added as coauthors of House Bill 1145.

**KERSEY** 

Motion prevailed.

## HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that Representative Wolkins be added as coauthor of House Bill 1177.

DVORAK

Motion prevailed.

# HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that Representatives Whetstone and Thompson be added as coauthors of House Bill 1203.

PELATH

Motion prevailed.

## HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that Representatives Pflum and Lehe be added as coauthors of House Bill 1281.

KOCH

Motion prevailed.

## HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that Representative Cheatham be added as coauthor of House Bill 1282.

T. HARRIS

Motion prevailed.

## HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that Representatives Grubb, Tincher, and Kersey be added as coauthors of House Bill 1486.

THOMAS

Motion prevailed.

## HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that Representative V. Smith be added as coauthor of House Bill 1513.

MOSES

Motion prevailed.

## HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that Representative Neese be added as coauthor of House Bill 1686.

V. SMITH

Motion prevailed.

## HOUSE MOTION

Mr. Speaker: I move that House Rule 106.1 suspended for the purpose of adding more than three coauthors and that Representatives Moses and GiaQuinta be added as coauthors of House Bill 1774.

VAN HAAFTEN

Motion prevailed.

Pursuant to House Rule 60, committee meetings were announced.

On the motion of Representative Knollman, the House adjourned at 10:25 a.m., this twenty-sixth day of January, 2007, until Monday, January 29, 2007, at 1:30 p.m.

B. PATRICK BAUER Speaker of the House of Representatives

CLINTON McKAY Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives